PATENT IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Case No. 01-1685-A

In re Application of:)	
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Stockland et al.)	
)	Before the Examiner:
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Serial No.: 10/611,576)	
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Filed: June 30, 2003)	Art Unit: 1761
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For: HIGH ENERGY PROTEIN PROTECTED)	
RUMINANT FEED AND METHODS FOR)	
MANUFACTURING AND USING THE SAME)	

RESPONSE FILED CONCURRENTLY WITH A PETITION TO REVIVE AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION AND A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This response is being filed concurrently with a Petition to Revive an Unintentionally Abandoned Application and a Request for Continued Examination. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

The Listing of Claims begins on page 2 and replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.